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The Honorable Peter DeFazio
Chairman
House Committee on Transportation
and Infrastructure
2134 Rayburn House Office Building
U.S. House of Representatives
Washington, D.C. 20515

The Honorable Sam Graves
Ranking Member
House Committee on Transportation
and Infrastructure
1135 Longworth House Office Building
U.S. House of Representatives
Washington, D.C. 20515

Dear Chairman DeFazio and Ranking Member Graves,

l write to request funding for Additional Mini Highs at Caltrain Stations in the legislation to reauthorize federal surface transportation programs. The project sponsor for this project is the Peninsula Corridor Joint Powers Board and the project is located at 1250 San Carlos Avenue San Carlos, California 94070-1306.

If included in this legislation, the funding will be used to purchase two "mini highs" at Caltrain stations in Mountain View and Palo Alto, California. These mini highs will provide accessible service to passengers needing assistance to board the train without the need for a manual wayside lift. This project is an appropriate use of taxpayer dollars because it will provide important public benefits including improving accessibility to public transportation for passengers with disabilities and reducing train wait times at stations.

I certify that neither I nor my immediate family has any financial interest in this project.

Thank you for your attention to my important request.

Most gratefully,

Anna G. Eshoo Member of Congress